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S9	9	gp35 WITH purified	US-PGPUB; USPAT; EPO; JPO; DERWENT	OR	ON	2004/10/12 17:35
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L4 ANSWER 1 OF 8 MEDLINE on STN
AN 82127583 MEDLINE
TI Organization of the bacteriophage T4 tail fiber gene cluster
34-38.
SO Progress in clinical and biological research, (1981) 64 353-64.
Journal code: 7605701. ISSN: 0361-7742.
AU Revel H R
AB A correlation of the genetic, functional, and structural maps of the
T4 tail fiber gene cluster has been achieved by analysis of lambda
derivatives carrying genes 34-38. 31 recombinants carrying different parts
of the T4 tail fiber gene cluster were identified by a marker
rescue screen of 300 lambda T4 recombinant clones, generated by
restriction of partial cytosine-containing T4 DNA with E coRI or
with HindIII and ligation into appropriately cleaved lambda replacement
vectors. Extensive genetic characterization revealed 15 recombinant
classes with respect to the contiguous stretches of genome recovered and
suggested the presence of 7 HindIII sites and 8 EcoRI sites in the 10 kb
region. Functional analysis showed tht genes 34-38 were recovered intact.
The tail fiber genes are efficiently expressed from lambda promoters and
complement T4 amber mutants in a modified in vivo
complementation test. Polypeptides, Mr = 145,000, 105,000, 39,000, 27,000
and 24,000 corresponding to gp34, gp37, gp35, gp38 and gp36
respectively, were detected by SDS polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis of
35S- labeled extracts of lambda T4 recombinant infected
UV-treated host cells. Restriction enzyme structural analysis of the
lambda T4 DNAs identified 7 HindIII and 7 EcoRI fragments and
established a restriction map covering about 11 kb. The correlation of
the genetic, functional and restriction maps provides a rational approach
to a genetically directed DNA sequence analysis of the T4 tail
fiber genes and of their mutant variants which affect particular aspects
of tail fiber assembly, structure and function.

L4 ANSWER 2 OF 8 MEDLINE on STN
AN 96326707 MEDLINE
TI Stoichiometry and domainal organization of the long tail-fiber of
bacteriophage T4: a hinged viral adhesin.
SO Journal of molecular biology, (1996 Aug 2) 260 (5) 767-80.
Journal code: 2985088R. ISSN: 0022-2836.
AU Cerritelli M E; Wall J S; Simon M N; Conway J F; Steven A C
AB The long-tail fibers (LTFs) form part of bacteriophage
T4's apparatus for host cell recognition and infection, being
responsible for its initial attachment to susceptible bacteria. The LTF
has two parts, each approximately 70 to 75 nm long; gp34 (140 kDa) forms
the proximal half-fiber, while the distal half-fiber is composed of gp37
(109 kDa), gp36(23 kDa) and gp35 (30 kDa). LTFs have long been
thought to be dimers of gp34, gp37 and gp36, with one copy of gp35
. We have used mass mapping by scanning transmission electron microscopy
(STEM), quantitative SDS-PAGE, and computational sequence analysis to
study the structures of purified LTFs and half-fibers of both kinds.
These data establish that the LTF is, in fact, trimeric, with a
stoichiometry of gp34: gp37: gp36: gp35 = 3:3:3:1. Averaged
images of stained and unstained molecules resolve the LTF into a linear
stack of 17 domains. At the proximal end is a globular domain of
approximately 145 kDa that becomes incorporated into the baseplate. It is
followed by a rod-like shaft (33 x 4 nm; 151 kDa) which correlates with a
cluster-of-seven-quasi-repeats, each 34 to 39 residues long. The proximal
half-fiber terminates in three globular domains. The distal half-fiber
consists of ten globular domains of variable size and spacing, preceding a
needle-like end domain (15 x 2.5 nm; 31 kDa). The LTF is rigid apart from

hinges between the two most proximal domains, and between the proximal and distal half-fibers. The latter hinge occurs at a site of local non-equivalence (the "kneecap") at which density, correlated with the presence of gp35, bulges asymmetrically out on one side. Several observations indicate that gp34 participates in the sharing of conserved structural modules among coliphage tail-fiber genes to which gp37 was previously noted to subscribe. Two adjacent globular domains in the proximal half-fiber match a pair of domains in the distal half-fiber, and the rod domain in the proximal half-fiber resembles a similar domain in the T4 short tail-fiber (gp12). Finally, possible structures are considered; combining our data with earlier observations, the most likely conformation for most of the LTF is a three-stranded beta-helix.

L4 ANSWER 3 OF 8 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

AN 1996:404766 CAPLUS

DN 125:51926

TI Tail fiber proteins of T-even-like bacteriophage for the production of nanometer structures and use thereof

SO PCT Int. Appl., 82 pp.

CODEN: PIXXD2

IN Goldberg, Edward B.

AB Described is the preparation of nanostructures, i.e., nanometer sized structures useful in the construction of microscopic and macroscopic structures, based on bacteriophage T4 tail fiber proteins and variants thereof. Preparation of single or fusion proteins or their variants selected from gp34, gp35, gp36, and gp37 of T-4 bacteriophage was demonstrated. Also provided are kits for making nanostructures, comprising purified, e.g., gp35 and gp36-34 chimera, or gp37-36 chimera.

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L4 ANSWER 4 OF 8 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

AN 1999:69916 CAPLUS

DN 130:135644

TI Use of bacteriophage T4 tail fiber proteins in the preparation of nanostructures

SO U.S., 51 pp., Cont.-in-part of U.S. Ser. No. 322,760.

CODEN: USXXAM

IN Goldberg, Edward B.

AB Methods of using the gp34, gp35, gp36, and gp37 tail fiber proteins of bacteriophage T4 in the formation of nanostructures that can be used in nanomachines is described. In particular, variants of the proteins that show altered patterns of interaction, thermolability of interaction, or geometry of interaction can be used to create an array of self-assembling structures.

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US 2003236390	A1	20031225	US 2002-136225	20020429
US 2004018587	A1	20040129	US 2003-371067	20030221
US 2004039168	A1	20040226	US 2003-371073	20030221

L4 ANSWER 6 OF 8 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

AN 2000:900798 CAPLUS

DN 134:67178

TI Cloning and characterization of phage T4 gene gp35

SO PCT Int. Appl., 75 pp.

CODEN: PIXXD2

IN Goldberg, Edward B.

AB The invention provides sequences of phage T4 gene gp35 and its encoded protein and cDNA sequences of a novel human gene which is located between gene gp34 and gene gp36. Gene gp35 encodes a tail fiber protein which functions to join the rodlike proximal and distal halves of the bacteriophage tail fibers. A thermostable gp35 mutant protein is also isolated from a ts mutant. The present invention further relates to the use of bacteriophage T4 gp35 gene and protein products as well as derivs., variants, and analogs thereof in the construction of nanostructures.

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AU 9946781	A1	20010102	AU 1999-46781	19990611
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JP 2003507007	T2	20030225	JP 2001-503640	19990611

L4 ANSWER 7 OF 8 MEDLINE on STN

AN 2004603885 MEDLINE

TI In vivo bypass of chaperone by extended coiled-coil motif in T4 tail fiber.

SO Journal of bacteriology, (2004 Dec) 186 (24) 8363-9.

Journal code: 2985120R. ISSN: 0021-9193.

AU Qu Yun; Hyman Paul; Harrah Timothy; Goldberg Edward

AB The distal-half tail fiber of bacteriophage T4 is made of three gene products: trimeric gp36 and gp37 and monomeric gp35. Chaperone P38 is normally required for folding gp37 peptides into a P37 trimer; however, a temperature-sensitive mutation in T4 (ts3813) that suppresses this requirement at 30 degrees C but not at 42 degrees C was found in gene 37 (R. J. Bishop and W. B. Wood, Virology 72:244-254, 1976). Sequencing of the temperature-sensitive mutant revealed a 21-bp duplication of wild-type gene 37 inserted into its C-terminal portion (S. Hashemolhosseini et al., J. Mol. Biol. 241:524-533, 1994). We noticed that the 21-amino-acid segment encompassing this duplication in the ts3813 mutant has a sequence typical of a coiled coil and hypothesized that its extension would relieve the temperature sensitivity of the ts3813 mutation. To test our hypothesis, we crossed the T4 ts3813 mutant with a plasmid encoding an engineered pentaheptad coiled coil. Each of the six mutants that we examined retained two amber mutations in gene 38 and had a different coiled-coil sequence varying from three to five heptads. While the sequences varied, all maintained the heptad-repeating coiled-coil motif and produced plaques at up to 50 degrees C. This finding strongly suggests that the coiled-coil motif is a critical factor in the folding of gp37. The presence of a terminal coiled-coil-like sequence in the tail fiber genes of 17 additional T-even phages implies the conservation of this mechanism. The increased melting temperature should be useful for "clamps"-to-initiate-the-folding-of-trimeric-beta-helices-in-vitro-and-as-an-in-vivo-screen-to-identify-sequence-and-characterize-trimeric-coiled-coils.

.. L4 ANSWER 8 OF 8 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
AN 2004:162508 CAPLUS
DN 140:213583
TI Use of bacteriophage T4 tail fiber proteins for manufacture of
nanostructures using staged-assembly
SO U.S. Pat. Appl. Publ., 60 pp., Cont.-in-part of U.S. Ser. No. 136,225.
CODEN: USXXCO
IN Goldberg, Edward B.
AB Methods of using the gp34, gp35, gp36, and gp37 tail fiber
proteins of bacteriophage T4 or fusion proteins in the
formation of nanostructures that can be used in nanostructures is
described. In particular, variants of the proteins that show altered
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US 6197139	B1	20010306	US 1999-226949	19990108
US 2003236390	A1	20031225	US 2002-136225	20020429

L7 ANSWER 1 OF 1 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
AN 1973:544087 CAPLUS
DN 79:144087
TI Assembly of Bacteriophage T4 tail fibers. IV. Subunit
composition of tail fibers and fiber precursors
SO Journal of Molecular Biology (1973), 79(4), 633-47
CODEN: JMOBAK; ISSN: 0022-2836
AU Dickson, Robert C.
AB Using a novel purification procedure, the protein composition of the tail fibers of
bacteriophage T4 has been determined. Fibers contain 4
proteins whose mol. wts. as estimated by Na dodecyl sulfate-acrylamide gel
electrophoresis, are 150,000; 125,000; 40,000; and 24,000. The 2 largest
proteins have been previously identified as the products of genes 34 (P34)
and 37 (P37), resp. The 2 smaller proteins have now been identified as the
products of genes 35 (P35) and 36 (P36), resp. The products of
the 2 other known phage genes required for fiber assembly, 38 and 57, have
been identified as nonstructural phage proteins with mol. wts. of 26,000
and 10,000 resp.

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IN Goldberg, Edward B.
AB Described is the preparation of nanostructures, i.e., nanometer sized
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AN 1999:69916 CAPLUS

DN 130:135644

TI Use of bacteriophage T4 tail fiber proteins in the preparation of
nanostructures

SO U.S., 51 pp., Cont.-in-part of U.S. Ser. No. 322,760.

CODEN: USXXAM

IN **Goldberg, Edward B.**
AB Methods of using the gp34, gp35, gp36, and gp37 tail fiber proteins of bacteriophage T4 in the formation of nanostructures that can be used in nanomachines is described. In particular, variants of the proteins that show altered patterns of interaction, thermolability of interaction, or geometry of interaction can be used to create an array of self-assembling structures.

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AN 2000:900798 CAPLUS

DN 134:67178

TI Cloning and characterization of phage T4 gene gp35

SO PCT Int. Appl., 75 pp.

CODEN: PIXXD2

IN **Goldberg, Edward B.**

AB The invention provides sequences of phage T4 gene gp35 and its encoded protein and cDNA sequences of a novel human gene which is located between gene gp34 and gene gp36. Gene gp35 encodes a tail fiber protein which functions to join the rodlike proximal and distal halves of the bacteriophage tail fibers. A thermostable gp35 mutant protein is also isolated from a ts mutant. The present invention further relates to the use of bacteriophage T4 gp35 gene and protein products as well as derivs., variants, and analogs thereof in the construction of nanostructures.

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L13 ANSWER 4 OF 5 MEDLINE on STN

AN 2004603885 MEDLINE

TI In vivo bypass of chaperone by extended coiled-coil motif in T4 tail fiber.

SO Journal of bacteriology, (2004 Dec) 186 (24) 8363-9.

Journal code: 2985120R. ISSN: 0021-9193.

AU Qu Yun; Hyman Paul; Harrah Timothy; Goldberg Edward

AB The distal-half tail fiber of bacteriophage T4 is made of three gene products: trimeric gp36 and gp37 and monomeric gp35. Chaperone P38 is normally required for folding gp37 peptides into a P37 trimer; however, a temperature-sensitive mutation in T4 (ts3813) that suppresses this requirement at 30 degrees C but not at 42 degrees C was found in gene 37 (R. J. Bishop and W. B. Wood, Virology 72:244-254, 1976). Sequencing of the temperature-sensitive mutant revealed a 21-bp

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L13 ANSWER 5 OF 5 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

AN 2004:162508 CAPLUS

DN 140:213583

TI Use of bacteriophage T4 tail fiber proteins for manufacture of nanostructures using staged-assembly

SO U.S. Pat. Appl. Publ., 60 pp., Cont.-in-part of U.S. Ser. No. 136,225. CODEN: USXXCO

IN Goldberg, Edward B.

AB Methods of using the gp34, gp35, gp36, and gp37 tail fiber proteins of bacteriophage T4 or fusion proteins in the formation of nanostructures that can be used in nanostructures is described. In particular, variants of the proteins that show altered patterns of interaction, thermolability of interaction, or geometry of interaction can be used to create an array of self-assembling structures.

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